

U.S. Senate
Desk Description and Condition Report

Desk No : **66.00000.043**

Paper Label No.(on shelf bottom): 71

Painted No. (on bottom): N/A

Other identifying labels or marks (specify location): Stretcher: 70, 73, XLIII / Top: 41 (crayon), Young [Ohio] (black marker) / Drawer Bottom: outside - 70 (pencil), 60 (pencil) / Drawer Back: 70 (pencil) / Inside Case Back: 70x (chalk) / Inkwell: 30 (pencil), Herring (pencil)

Description of Desk

Dimensions (in inches)

	Overall	Orig. Desk*	Case	Shelf
Height	35 1/16	32 1/4		
Width (front)	27 7/8	26 1/2	25 3/4	
Width (rear)	26 5/8	24 7/8	24 3/16	
Depth	20 1/4	20 11/16	19 7/16	8 11/16

* Note: Dimensions do not include "booster" blocks added to feet or writing top.

Woods

Primary:	Mahogany <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Mahogany veneer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Rosewood veneer <input type="checkbox"/>
Other Wood (specify): _____	

Character of case mahogany:	Plain <input type="checkbox"/>
	Ribbon <input type="checkbox"/>
	Mottled <input type="checkbox"/>
	Crotch <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Secondary:

Element	Pine	Ash	Poplar	Mahog	Other
Drawer Sides				✓	
Drawer Bottom			✓		
Drawer Back			✓		
Case Interior	✓		✓		
Drawer Front			✓		

Construction Details

Leg:

Wood Type	rosewood crossband	other crossband	no crossband
mahog. veneer			✓
solid mahogany			
other: _____			

Foot construction:

1-part ☐2-part ☐5-part ☐

Other: See notes

Double bead on edge of leg:

Bead: Thick ☒Thin ☐

Leg Thickness: 1 3/16 "

Shape of cross-stretcher edges:

Rounded ☐Rectangular ☒

Spindle type:

Thick

Thin

Other

Number

9

1

Joinery of lower drawer blade to case sides:

single dovetail ☐2 dovetails ☒3 dovetails ☐lap joint ☐

other: _____

Shelf molding applied:

Yes ☐No ☒

Cockbead width on bottom of drawer front:

Narrow ☐Full width ☒

Opening in original top for inkwell:

Yes ☒No ☐

Roundels:

Single piece ("yo-yo" form) ☐Applied boss ☒

Inset distance of single bead on desk back panel:

Side: 1 1/4"

Top: 7/8"

Bottom: 15/16"

No. of Glue Blocks

Case

Stretch'r

Shelf

Original/Old

New/Recent

2

Missing

Interior case-side flush with corner block? Yes ☐No ☒

Width of drawer-opening offset

Right : 9/16"

Left : 9/16"

Condition of Desk

Structure

Previous breaks in structural elements: Yes ☒
(shown on schematic)
No ☐

Current split or broken elements: Yes ☒
(shown on schematic)
No ☐

Other loose or damaged joinery: Yes ☒
(describe in narrative)
No ☐

Damage to drawer front: Extreme ☐
Moderate ☒
Minor ☐

Drawer lock: relocated on face Yes ☒

Drawer lock: resized on inside Yes ☒

Cockbead on drawer front: Damaged ☒
(show on schematic)
Missing ☐
Loose ☐
Replacements ☒

Replaced drawer-side runners: Yes ☐
No ☒

Replaced case-side runners: Yes ☐
No ☒

Drawer bottom pieced-out at back edge: Yes ☒
No ☐

Wear on Feet	Extreme	Moderate	Minor
Front	✓		
Rear			✓

Number of loose spindles:
No: 1

Number of replaced spindles:
(show on schematic) No: 1

Replaced veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☒
(show on schematic)
No ☐

Missing veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☒
(show on schematic)
No ☐

Delaminated/loose veneers & cross-banding: Yes ☐
(show on schematic) No ☒

Shelf supports: Original/old ☐
New/recent ☒
Missing ☐

Spindle support board in case: Yes ☐
No ☒

Finish

Age	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
New			✓	
Old			✓	
Unk.				

Note: Describe finish problems in narrative.

Hardware/Attachments

Item	Mismatch	Missing	Damaged
Knob (L)			
Knob (R)			✓

Toe cap size: Right toe: 19

Left toe: 19